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### TITLE OF INVENTION

# NONWOVEN MATERIAL WITH ELASTIC PROPERTIES, RELATED PRODUCTION METHOD AND DEVICE THEREOF

## SPECIFICATION IDENTIFICATION

the :	specification of which: (complete (a), (b) or (c))
(a)	□ is attached hereto.
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(c)	was described and claimed in PCT International Application No. <a href="https://pct/PCT/EP2003/011706">PCT/EP2003/011706</a> filed on and as amended under PCT Article 19 on October 22, 2003 (if any).
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conte	hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the ents of the above identified specification, including the ms, as amended by any amendment referred to above.
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## CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PRIOR U.S. PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S) $(34 \text{ U.S.C. } \$119(\Theta))$

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